Attorney's Docket No.: 06275-451US1 / 100840-1P US

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Brough et al. Art Unit: 1624

Title : NOVEL COMPOUND

## Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated October 13, 2006, be extended for three months to and including April 13, 2007.

The fee in the amount of \$1020 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing attorney docket no. 06275-451US1.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: April 13, 2007

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